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C O N F I D E N T I A L BUCHAREST 5441

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CSCE RO NATO

SUBJ: CSCE FOLLOW-UP: MEETING WITH FOREIGN MINISTER

MACOVESCU

REF: USNATO 5762

1. YES.

2. PARA 3 BUCHAREST 5363 REPEATED BELOW:

3. CBMS: MACOVESCU WAS OBVIOUSLY UNCOMFORTABLE  
ADISCUSSING THIS SUBJECT. HE TRAVERSED USUAL ROMANIAN  
TERRAIN ON DELICACY OF ROMANIA'S GEOGRAPHIC AND POLITI-  
CAL POSITION. AT ONE POINT HE SUGGESTED PERHAPS USG  
WAS NOT ALWAYS QUITE SO SENSITIVE AS IT MIGHT BE TO  
GOR'S DILEMMAS. HE COMPARED US TO A HEAVY TANK  
RUMBLING DOWN A ROUGHT ROAD. THE OCCUPANTS OF THE  
TANK NEVER FEEL A SINGLE JOLT BECAUSE OF THE SIZE  
OF THE VEHICLE. BUT THE ROMANIAN RIDING DOWN THE  
SAME ROAD ON HIS BICYCLE IS SUBJECT TO A SEVERE  
SHAKING UP. WITH REGARD TO THE RECENT INVITATIONS TO  
SEND OBSERVERS, HE SAID THEY CAUGHT THE GOR SOMEWHAT  
BY SURPRISE. THEY QUESTIONED HOW MUCH UTILITY WOULD  
COME FROM SENDING AN UNQUALIFIED EMBASSY OFFICER TO  
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OBSERVE. IN ADDITION, THERE WAS, FOR OUR CONFIDEN-

TIAL INFORMATION, THE FACTOR OF CLEAR SOVIET OPPOSITION  
TO THE OBSERVER IDEA. CONSEQUENTLY, THE GOR DECIDED  
TO SKIP THE CHANCE THIS TIME. THIS WAS NOT A DECISION  
HOWEVER WHICH WOULD NECESSARILY APPLY TO FUTURE INVITA-  
TIONS. IT WAS A QUESTION OF LOOKING FOR "A PROPITIOUS  
MOMENT" TO ACCEPT AN INVITATION TO OBSERVE A MANEUVER.  
GOR STILL ATTACHES MAJOR IMPORTANCE TO CBMS.  
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